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Catalogue of Coins. viz

1. Saxon and English Coins of John Hall Esq^r sold 28 Feb. 1849 and three following days.
2. Greek, Roman, and English Coins and Medals &c. of several persons, P. S. Benwell Esq^r &c. sold 2^d April 1849 and three following days.
3. Ancient and Modern Coins and Medals including several Collections from the Country. sold May 23^d 1849 and three following days.
4. Ancient British Gold Coins found in February 1849 on Whaddon Chase. sold 16th June 1849.
- 4^a Coins and Medals, including the Collection of the late Rev. D^r Shepherd, also of the late W^m Effingham Wilson sold 30th June and 3^d July 1849
5. Greek and Roman Coins and Medallions, Antiquities &c. of the M^{rs} Rollin of Paris sold July 25th 1849 and six following Days.
6. Of Cosular Denarii formed in Italy during the present year. sold August 2^d 1849.
7. English and other Coins sold 3^d August 1849

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CATALOGUE

OF

ANCIENT BRITISH

GOLD COINS,

FOUND IN FEBRUARY, 1849,

ON

WHADDON CHASE.

This Collection comprises the whole of the Coins which were delivered up to the Lord of the Manor, with the exception of a few reserved for his Cabinet; and includes every variety in the Find. As a Collection of UNQUESTIONABLE BRITISH TYPES, they are highly deserving the attention of Numismatists.

WHICH WILL BE SOLD BY AUCTION,
BY MESSRS.

S. LEIGH SOTHEY & CO.

AUCTIONEERS OF LITERARY PROPERTY AND WORKS ILLUSTRATIVE OF THE FINE ARTS

AT THEIR HOUSE, 3, WELLINGTON STREET, STRAND,

On SATURDAY, 16th of JUNE, 1849, at One o'Clock precisely.

To be Viewed Two Days prior to the Sale.

J. DAVY & SONS, Printers, 137, Long Acre.

CONDITIONS OF SALE.

- I. The highest bidder to be the buyer; and if any dispute arise between two or more bidders; the lot so disputed shall be immediately put up again.
- II. No person to advance less than 1s.; above Five Pounds 2s. 6d.; and so on in proportion.
- III. The Purchasers to give in their Names and Places of Abode and to pay down 5s. in the Pound, if required, in part of payment of the Purchase-money; in default of which, the Lot or Lots purchased to be immediately put up again and re-sold.
- IV.—The Sale of any lot is not to be set aside on account of any error in the enumeration of the numbers stated, or errors of description.
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Gentlemen who cannot attend the Sale, may have their Commissions faithfully executed by their humble Servants,

S. LEIGH SOTHEBY & JOHN WILKINSON,
Wellington Street, Strand.

THE very interesting Collection of undoubted *Ancient British Coins* comprised in the following Catalogue, are the bulk of the remarkable “find” by the plough, in February last, on the site of what formed a part of Whaddon Chase.

Twenty-five specimens only have been reserved by the Lord of the Manor, WILLIAM SELBY LOWNDES, Esq., for his private cabinet; but there are no varieties among the few others retained which are not to be found in those now offered to public competition.

Though belonging to the class of uninscribed ancient British Coins, the present collection is peculiarly interesting to Numismatists;—to those of our own country as unquestionable examples of an ancient British currency,—to the Numismatists of the Continent as affording the best means of comparison with what are considered of Gaulish origin.

All the distinct varieties have recently been engraved in the *Numismatic Chronicle* (Vol. XII. p. 1); in which will be found full particulars relating to their discovery.

CATALOGUE

OF

ANCIENT BRITISH GOLD COINS,

* * The References are to a Plate in the *Numismatic Chronicle*, No. XLIV.
 April 1849. (Vol. XII. p. 1.)

LOT

- 1 Wreath and Flower, as No. 1, *rev.* Horse galloping, as No. 5 ;
 another, similar ; another, *obv.* plain, *rev.* Ornicephalous horse,
 with a wheel, &c. 3
- 2 Wreath and Flower, as No. 1, *rev.* as No. 4 ; another, similar ;
 another, *obv.* plain, *rev.* Ornicephalous Horse, with wheel
 &c. 3
- 3 Wreath and Flower, as No. 1 ; another similar : another, *obv.*
 plain, *rev.* Ornicephalous Horse 3
- 4 Wreath and Flower, as No. 1 ; another, with a mullet below the
 horse ; another with *obv.* plain 3
- 5 Two as No. 1 ; one with plain *obv.* and *rev.*, as No. 9 3
- 6 Two as No. 1 ; one with *obv.* plain, and *rev.* as No. 8 3
- 7 Two as No. 1 ; one with plain *obv.*, and an Ornicephalous Horse 3
- 8 Two as No. 1 ; one with *obv.* plain, and *rev.* an Ornicephalous
 Horse 3
- 9 Three, similar to the foregoing 3
- 10 One as No. 1 ; one, similar, but with the exergue plain ; one with
 the *obv.* plain, *rev.* Ornicephalous Horse, &c. 3
- 11 Two, similar to No. 1 ; one, with *obv.* plain, *rev.* Ornicephalous
 Horse, as No. 9 3
- 12 Two as No. 1 ; one with *obv.* plain, *rev.* Ornicephalous Horse,
 &c. 3
- 13 Two as No. 1 ; one as No. 8 3

14	Two as No. 1 ; one as No. 9	3
15	Two similar to No. 1 ; one as No. 8	3
16	One with <i>rev.</i> similar to No. 1 ; another with <i>rev.</i> as No. 6 ; one with <i>obv.</i> plain, <i>rev.</i> Ornicephalous Horse	3
17	Two similar to No. 5 , one as No. 8	3
18	Two similar to No. 1 ; one as No. 9	3
19	One as No. 1 ; one as No. 6 ; one as No. 9	3
20	One as No. 1 ; one as No. 4 ; one as No. 8	3
21	Two as No. 1 ; one as No. 9	3
22	Two as No. 1 ; one as No. 8	3
23	One as No. 1 ; one as No. 7 ; one as No. 8	3
24	One as No. 1 ; one as No. 7 ; one as No. 8	3
25	One as No. 5 ; one as No. 3 ; one as No. 9	3
26	Two as No. 1 ; one as No. 8	3
27	Two as No. 7 ; one as No. 8	3
28	One as No. 1 ; one as No. 4 ; one as No. 8	3
29	One as No. 6 ; one with exergue plain, and one as No. 8	3
30	Two as No. 4 ; one as No. 8	3
31	Two as No. 5 ; one as No. 8	3
32	One as No. 7, but without exergue ; one as No. 4 ; One as No. 8	3
33	Two as No. 1 ; one as No. 8	3
34	Two as No. 1 ; one as No. 9	3
35	One as No. 4 ; one as No. 6 ; one as No. 8	3
36	Two as No. 5 ; one as No. 8	3
37	Two as No. 1 ; one as No. 9	3
38	One as No. 7 ; one as No. 1 ; one as No. 9	3
39	One as No. 3 ; one, similar, with three pellets above the horse ; one as No. 8	3
40	One as No. 6 ; one as No. 7 ; one as No. 8	3
41	One as No. 4 ; one as No. 1 ; one as No. 8, but with two pellets above the horse	3
42	Two, similar to No. 4 ; one as No. 9	3
43	Two as No. 3 ; one as No. 9	3

44	One as No. 1 ; one as No. 4 ; one as No. 8	3
45	Two as No. 2 ; one as No. 8	3
46	One as No. 7 ; one similar to No. 1 ; and one as No. 8	3
* * * The coin similar to No. 1, has three pellets over the back of the horse, and the ears of that animal are long and well defined, more resembling the ears of an ass		
47	One as No. 1 ; one as No. 5 ; one as No. 8	3
48	Two as No. 1 ; one as No. 9	3
49	One as No. 1 ; one as No. 5 ; one as No. 8	3
50	One as No. 1, but with two pellets above the horse ; one as No. 5 ; one as No. 9	3
51	One as No. 1, but with three pellets above the horse, and a curious unknown object, ornamented with three pellets : <i>bruised in the striking, but otherwise very fine</i> ; two as No. 5 ; one as No. 8	4
52	One as the first of the preceding lot ; one as No. 6 ; one as No. 7 ; one as No. 8	4
53	Two as No. 2 ; one as No. 6 : one as No. 8	4
54	Two as No. 1 ; another with the object as on the first coin of lot 51 ; one as No. 8	4
55	Three similar to No. 4 ; one as No. 8	4
56	Three varieties of No. 1 ; one as No. 9	4
57	Three varieties of No. 5 : one as No. 8	4
58	One as No. 1 ; two as No. 5 ; one as No. 9	4
59	Three varieties of No. 1 ; one of No. 8	4
60	Three similar to No. 1 ; one of No. 8	4
61	Four varieties of No. 1, and one of No.	4
62	Four varieties of No. 1	4
63	Two of No. 5, and two others	4
64	Two of No. 5, and two others	4
65	One as No. 1 ; one with a mullet below the horse ; one as No. 5 ; one as No. 8	4
66	One as No. 1 ; two as No. 5 ; one as No. 9	4
67	One as No. 1 ; two as No. 4, and one other	4
68	Two as No. 5, and two others	4

69	One as No. 5 ; one as No. 4, and two others	4
70	Two as No. 1 ; and two with <i>obv.</i> plain	4
71	One as No. 5, and three others	4
72	One as No. 4 ; one as No. 9, and two others	4
73	Two as No. 5 ; one as No. 9, and one other	4
74	One as No. 8, and three others	4
75	Two as No. 8, and two others	4
76	Two as No. 5 ; one as No. 1, and one other	4
77	One as No. 5, and three others	4
78	One as No. 5, and three others	4
79	Two as No. 5, and two others	4
80	Three varieties of No. 5, and one other	4
81	Four varieties of No. 4 and 5	4
82	One as No. 1, with the flower well defined ; one as No. 8, and another	3
83	One as No. 1, with the flower well defined, and two others	3
84	One as No. 6, but with two mullets, and 2 others	3
85	Two as No. 5, and one other	3
86	One as No. 1, and two others	3
87	Two as No. 5	2

END OF SALE.

Whaddon Chase Find

Group Secondary

30 June, 1849

Coins & Medals

pp. 1-2 title leaf
3-37 (38) text
Lots 441.
No plates

cd
nothing missing

25 July, 1849.

Coins, etc.

pp. One leaf, title
One leaf, Index of
Sales (printed)
1-137 text.
One blank leaf
Lots 1030.
No plates

cd
nothing missing

2 August, 1849

Consular Denarii

pp. 1-2 title leaf
3-10 text
one blank leaf
Lots 149
No plates

cd
nothing missing

3 August, 1849

Coins

pp. 1-2 title leaf
3-12 text
Three fly leaves
Lots 143!
No plates

cd
nothing missing

(Collated 29 August, 1914).

28 February, 1849.

Coins, etc

pp. Two fly leaves
Contents (manuscript),
on fifth fly leaf.
One leaf, title
1-45 text
Lots 591.
No plates

cd
nothing missing

21 April, 1849

Coins & Medals

pp. 1-2 title leaf
3-44 text
Lots 638
No plates

cd
nothing missing

23 May, 1849.

Coins, Medals, etc.

pp. One leaf, title
1-50 text
Lots 620.
No plates

cd
nothing missing

16 June, 1849.

Coins

pp. 1-2 title leaf
3 (4) preface
5-8 text
Lots 87
No plates

cd
nothing missing

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